

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : **COLORANT FOR FOLIAGE OF**
 : **HUMIC AND/OR FULVIC ACID,**
 : **AND DYE**
DOUGLAS JOHN HUGHES :
 : Examiner: Amina S. Khan
Application Serial Number 10/552,428 :
 : Attorney Docket Number 282318-00012
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 : Art Unit 1796
Confirmation No.: 6683 :
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AMENDMENT

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May 7, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated February 13, 2008 and the Advisory Action dated March 31, 2008, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

A Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently herewith.